	India/State/UT	Sex Ratio 1991 Census
	Union Territories	
1.	A&N Islands	818
2.	Chandigarh	790
3.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	952
4.	Daman & Diu	969
5.	Delhi	827
6.	Lakshadweep	943
7.	Pondicherry	979

SOURCE: Paper 2 of 1992, Final Population Totals, Census of India, 1991

Shifting of Regional Centre of IGNOU from Pune

223. SHRI SURESH KALMADI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that IGNOU, New Delhi has decided to shift its Regional Centre located in Pune to Mumbai; and

(b) if so, what are the reasons behind this shift?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI JAYSINGRAO GAIKWAD PATIL): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Poor Condition of Science Departments/Laboratories of Universities

†224. SHRI JANESHWAR MISRA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the science departments/practical laboratories of most of the universities in the country are in poor condition due to paucity of funds and they are not in a position to purchase either research magazines or the research equipments;

(b) if so, whether Government would make an arrangement to centrally purchase research magazines/research equipments and to distribute them to each and every university;

†Original notice of the Question was received in Hindi.

(c) if so, by when; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI JAYSINGRAO GAIKWAD PATIL): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Educated people in the country

225. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of post graduates, graduates, higher secondary and secondary educated people in the country; and

(b) the methodology adopted to come to conclusions?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI JAYSINGRAO GAIKWAD PATIL): (a) According to 1991 census, the break up of educated people in the country (excluding J&K where census was not held) is as follows:

(i) Secondary	,	4,74,03,246
(ii) Hr. Secondary		1,94,77,267
(iii) Graduate & above		2,06,30,972

(b) The above information is based on data on educational attainment in respect of each individual in the country collected during the Census of India, 1991.

Examining the NCERT Text Books

226. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have, at any time, proposed to set up a committee to examine the NCERT school text books to identify the distortions and inaccuracies to take corrective measures; and